April 8 2010

## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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STATE OF MONTANA

No. DA 09-0437

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STATE OF MONTANA,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

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MELVIN MATSON,

v.

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Defendant and Appellant.

## **GRANT OF EXTENSION**

Pursuant to authority granted under Mont. R. App. P. 26(1), the Appellant is given an extension of time until April 26, 2010, to prepare, file, and serve the Appellant's reply brief.

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